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\$500,000
BALLOONS
AIRSHIPS

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—By voting an appropriation of \$500,000 over the amount originally appropriated the house of representatives today made a liberal provision for further experiments by the army in the use of balloons and airships. Opponents of the proposition tried to defeat it by raising all sorts of parliamentary points, but the chair overruled these and paved the way for incorporating the provision in the army appropriation bill.

ARRESTED ON CHARGE
OF ROBBING MAILS

(By Associated Press.)
VALLEJO (Cal.), Jan. 30.—Charged with robbing the United States mails, Edward Goodhardt, alias Edward Gullard, is under arrest here. He is believed by the police to be a partner of Charles McCartney, now serving a fifteen-year term in the Arizona penitentiary for robbing the mails at Fargo, North Dakota, in 1908.

Goodhardt escaped, and it is believed he came to California and obtained work in the Mare Island navy yard. He was discharged two months ago, and returned to Vallejo only last night. He claims not to be the person wanted.

FEELING PARALYZED
ON STOCK EXCHANGE

(By Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—A clear expression of dissatisfaction with the prospect for better values, is gathering from action on the market today. Feeling is paralyzed. The demand for stocks leaves the way open for bearish aggression where it does not prompt the initiative in liquidation. Bonds were irregular.

Sam Belford
Launches Boom
for U. S. Senator

(By Special Correspondence.)
CARSON, Jan. 28.—A quiet boom was launched today for Sam Belford as the Democratic candidate for United States senator from Nevada two years hence. Belford is one of the leading attorneys of eastern Nevada, a personal friend of Governor Dickerson and one of the most powerful directors and participants in the campaign which resulted in the election of Francis G. Newlands. The announcement that Belford is in the fight came as a surprise to those who have been keeping their hand on the pulse of the situation as it were.

Belford is in Carson and will be here several days on matters relating to clients' interests.

When seen about the matter Belford refused to discuss his candidacy. "It is rather early in the season to make political announcements," said Belford. "Two years is a long time and many changes may take place between now and the date of the next election. It is an honor even to be mentioned for such an exalted position, but I must go on record at this time as not being a seeker after the position."

Belford in addition to his ability as a lawyer is recognized as one of the best orators in Nevada. His speech at the Democratic convention in Tonopah last fall was one of the strong factors in insuring the nomination of George Bartlett for con-

FAREWELL TO PRESIDENT
ROOSEVELT AND FAIRBANKS160 RUNNERS
FINISH IN THE
MARATHON RACES

(By Associated Press.)
PITTSBURG, Jan. 30.—With a blinding snow storm in their faces, a ten-mile-an-hour wind and the temperature 17 degrees below zero, running over a course at times covered by snow six or eight inches deep, 228 starters from western Pennsylvania and West Virginia left Rochester, Pennsylvania, at 12:30 o'clock in a Marathon race of twenty-six miles, 385 yards to this city. More than 160 runners finished in fairly good condition.

William Shannon of Edgeworth, Pennsylvania, won the race in 3:40:30. Considering the weather conditions the race is said to be the most remarkable ever run in this country.

ADDS 600,735
ACRES HUMBOLDT
NATIONAL FOREST

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—The president today signed a proclamation adding 600,735 acres to the Humboldt national forest in the northern part of Elko county, Nevada, bordering on the Idaho line. The area contains pine, fir and aspen timber, estimated at 64,000,000 linear feet. This addition gives the forest a total of 1,158,818 acres.

Famous Gridiron Club of Newspaper Men Serve Annual Dinner—Two Hundred Guests Were in Attendance.

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—A farewell to President Roosevelt and Vice President Fairbanks in their official capacity only, was said to them tonight by the famous Gridiron club of Washington newspaper men. The occasion was the annual winter dinner of that club, and about 200 guests were present, including ambassadors, justices of the supreme court of the United States, cabinet officials, senators, representatives, editors, publishers, and men of affairs generally. While the dinner was a farewell one it was far from being sad. The president and vice president were guests of honor, so they came in for equal prominence in the fun of everything. While they were the butt of many jokes and skits there was every evidence that they enjoyed the entertainment as much as the rest when the jests were aimed at others. The temperance movement showed its effects on the club. As a souvenir of the dinner the guests were given "H2O" illustrated Gridiron almanacs, published by the "Gridiron Waterwagon Press." Between the covers no remedy was given for the ills of statesmen, journalists, real newspaper men, mollycoddles, malefactors, and great wealth "Other than plain H2O." In the almanac a "teddy bear" formed the center of signs of zodiac, while the entire productions marked as forwarded to congress as "Special message No. 2323232323-23232323." The guests observed particularly that the total eclipse this year "Is due in March" and "Will be viewed with interest by the United States, Africa and Oyster Bay."

A list of forecasts for every day is given in one section of the almanac, but prognostications did not extend beyond March 4. As a reason for this it was explained that "After the fourth of March there is no telling what will happen."

For the convenience of guests a notice stated that the gentlemen "mentioned" for Taft cabinet will march in procession at the inauguration, forming a division of 23 under William Loeb, Jr., "who has been mentioned most frequently." But all the with was not in the almanac, as the megaphone man announced bulletins from the "great battleground." This great battle was advertised on handbills scattered through the banquet room and proved to be a fight between President Roosevelt and congress. The inauguration of Henry Hall, correspondent of the Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph as president of the club afforded the

retiring president, James Henry of the Philadelphia Press, an opportunity to give the new official some instructions. Amid darkness and to the accompaniment of a weird piano air, there was a shuffle of feet and in rhythm came sibilant and mysterious "Sh-Sh-Sh". Secret service sleuths were approaching. One of their number, legislated sleuth, was trying to find out what congress did with their \$500 a year. Chief Blikie admitted he detected no counterfeiters, but added that he discovered a few four-flushers. The sleuths then sang their repertoire, including a song about sleuthing in general and white house sleuthing in particular. Finally the squadron separated "to protect letter boxes in order to keep Senator Tillman from franking a Grand piano."

A quartet of members told Vice President Fairbanks in song that in the club's memory his tall form would ever fondly live. A chorus joined in singing to the tune of "On the Banks of the Wabash":

"Oh, the cocktains they are crowing in the morning,
And the buttermilk is flowing through the hay,
They are waiting the return of Fairbanks."

On the banks of the Wabash far away."

During the evening the first line sung by a clear tenor voice directed the attention to the president of the United States. It was a song about "Roosevelt is a good Dutch name." It told how the president made the air blue with the messages he wrote to congress, and how he would have something to say about everything on the face of the earth, then concluded with the observation that there never was a man named Roosevelt that did not make a d—d good president. A number of the members appeared as the president's country life commission. Some startling discoveries were made by these frockcoated, college degree plastered gentlemen. They found that "the principle ingredient of milk is water, that ancient eggs are sold to city folks as strictly fresh, that open work plumbing is confused in rural minds with open work shirt-waists."

As they departed a messenger boy handed President Hall a cablegram. It read: "The possum am very, very fine. William H. Taft." The message came from Panama and served to introduce Major Alfred Carter, a southern correspondent, who sang his famous "Watermelon and possum song."

ACCUSED OF DRAWING
SALARY ILLEGALLY

(By Associated Press.)
HELENA (Mont.), Jan. 30.—A sensation has been caused in the legislature by Representative Hall, who introduced a resolution setting forth that Attorney General Galen, who is a brother-in-law of Senator Carter, had illegally drawn \$12,000 from the state treasury for salary and expenses, when he was not entitled to take the oath of office because he was under 30 years of age, the constitutional limit for that office.

THE METAL MARKET.
NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—Lead, 4.15 @ 4.20; copper, quiet, 13.57 1/4 @ 13.12 1/4; silver was quoted at 51.875.

Subscribe for the Bonanza.

CABLE \$225,000
TO AID SUFFERERS
OF EARTHQUAKE

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—The American National Red Cross society today cabled Ambassador Griscom at Rome \$225,000, which will be presented to Queen Helena for the purpose of establishing an agricultural colony at Calabria or Sicily for orphans in the Italian earthquake district. In all the Red Cross society has spent \$841,740 in behalf of the earthquake victims.

CIRCUIT COURT OF
APPEALS WILL
CONVENE MONDAY

(By Associated Press.)
SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 30.—The United States circuit court of appeals for the eighth circuit, with jurisdiction over Washington, Idaho, Oregon, Utah, Nevada, California, Montana, Arizona, Alaska and Hawaii will convene in this city Monday. Tuesday the court will take up the appeal of the Santa Fe railroad against the \$330,000 fine imposed by the federal court at Los Angeles for rebating.

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE.

A paper in a western town recently published this item: "The business man of this town who is in the habit of hugging his typewriter has better quit or we will publish his name." The next day thirty-seven business men called at the office, paid up their subscriptions, and left behind them thirty-seven columns of advertising, and told the editor not to pay any attention to foolish stories.

RAILROAD
DID NOT
PAY UP

(By Associated Press.)
RENO, Jan. 30.—Because the Sierra Valley Railway company failed to redeem \$300,000 in first mortgage bonds with interest, given to secure a loan from the Nevada, California and Oregon Railway company, the sheriff at Plumas Junction, California, today foreclosed the mortgage, fenced up the Calling track and successfully marooned thirty-nine miles of railroad in the desert.

Passengers on the Nevada, California and Oregon train today were stopped at Calling and sent back to Reno, although their destinations were at the end of the Sierra Valley railroad.

TORPEDOBOAT FLEET
TO CRUISE NORTHWARD

(Special to the Bonanza.)
SAN DIEGO, Jan. 30.—The collier Saturn has arrived from San Francisco with coal for the torpedo boat fleet at anchor here. All the vessels of the mosquito fleet save the Davis will sail north for a four days' cruise as soon as coaled, going as far as Port Harford.

The Cheyenne will sail Monday for a four days' cruise to test her oil burners. The destroyer Paul Jones is expected to arrive this afternoon from Mare Island.

JAPANESE
STUDENT
BEATEN

(By Associated Press.)
BERKELEY (Cal.), Jan. 30.—Following the renewal of the agitation by the anti-Japanese legislation by the state legislature, Kenji Kaneko, a graduate of the Imperial university at Tokio, and a student of the University of California, was attacked by eight white students this afternoon and chased off the university campus.

As a result of the incident the Berkeley Japanese association, numbering a thousand members, is incensed and declared its intention of demanding the Japanese consul general at San Francisco to make representations to the American government through Ambassador Takahira at Washington.

ELY-GOLDFIELD
LOOKS GOOD TO
TEX RICKARD

(Special to the Bonanza.)
GOLDFIELD, Jan. 30.—Tex Rickard returned Friday from Ely, enthusiastic over the Ely-Goldfield railroad as projected.

Mr. Rickard says that Frank Armstrong, who is the right-hand man of W. B. Thompson, will be in charge of all the preliminary work of surveying, grading and construction. On account of the inclement weather the work will begin in Goldfield and proceed north, and later, beginning at Ely, will come south.

Surveyors will arrive, it is reported, some time next week, to commence work in Goldfield.

A franchise will be necessary in each county through which the road will pass before construction can begin.

SANTA FE
PHOENIX
NAMED

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—The omnibus bill, providing for separate statehood for the territories of New Mexico and Arizona was introduced in the house today by Representative Hamilton of Michigan of the house committee on territories.

New Mexico is given two representatives in the house of representatives to be elected at large, and the city of Santa Fe was designated as the capital of the new state until 1920. When adopted into the union, New Mexico is to be attached to the eighth judicial district. One hundred thousand dollars was appropriated to expenses incident to elections and constitution, as provided for in the bill. Most of the provisions for Arizona are similar to those for New Mexico. Phoenix was designated as the capital until 1920. Arizona is given one representative in the house of representatives.

TAFT IN PANAMA.

(By Associated Press.)
PANAMA, Jan. 30.—President-elect Taft visited President Obaldia at the palace today. The party, including American and British ministers and officials of the Panama government being guests at a luncheon. President Obaldia gave a toast to Taft as the long-time friend of Panama.

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